



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
AKITOSHI YAMADA, et al.) Examiner: C. Stewart, Jr.
Application No.: 09/070,920) Group Art Unit: 2853
Filed: May 4, 1998 ✓)
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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to
extend the time for response to the Office Action dated
November 22, 2000 for one month from February 22, 2001
March 22, 2001.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110.00 to cover
the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any
deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or
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Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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